



PATENT

Docket No. 2026-4255

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : Emerson, S.U. et al. Group Art Unit: 1643
Serial No. : 08/840,316 Examiner: Zeman, M.
Filed : April 11, 1997
For : RECOMBINANT PROTEINS OF A PAKISTANI STRAIN
OF HEPATITIS E AND THEIR USE IN DIAGNOSTIC
METHODS AND VACCINES

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. §1.136(a))

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for filing an Amendment and Response.
2. The communication in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested
☒ is filed herewith.
☐ has been filed on _____.
3. ☐ Applicant is a small-entity -- verified statement is attached ☐, or has already been filed. ☐.

- | 4. | | <u>Total Months
Requested</u> | <u>Fee for Other
than Small Entity</u> | <u>Fee for
Small Entity</u> |
|----|-------------------------------------|--|--|---------------------------------|
| a. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | one month | \$110.00 | \$55.00 |
| b. | <input type="checkbox"/> | two months | \$380.00 | \$190.00 |
| c. | <input type="checkbox"/> | three months | \$870.00 | \$435.00 |
| d. | <input type="checkbox"/> | four months | \$1,360.00 | \$680.00 |
| e. | <input type="checkbox"/> | five months | \$1,850.00 | \$925.00 |
| f. | <input type="checkbox"/> | An extension for ____ months has already been secured for filing the above-identified communication and the fee paid therefor of \$_____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. The fee for this extension (\$_____), minus the fee previously paid (\$_____) equals \$_____ (total fee due). | | |

5. ☒ A check in the amount of \$ 110.00 to cover the extension fee is attached.
6. ☐ Charge fee to Deposit Account No. 13-4500. Order No. _____ A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.

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7. [X] The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500. Order No. 2026-4255. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.

Respectfully submitted,

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